ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, ELIMINATING AND CREATING THE NUMBER OF POSITIONS IN CERTAIN RANKS, ESTABLISHING PAY RATES, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 20081120-020 RELATING TO FIRE DEPARTMENT CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

PART 1. The Council makes the following findings:

- (A) The City adopted Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil Service*), which applies to members of the classified service in the Fire Department.
- (B) Chapter 143 (*Municipal Civil Service*) provides that the City Council shall establish the classifications for the Fire Department and the number of positions in each classification.
- (C) The Fire Department recommends the elimination and creation of certain classified positions to improve the delivery of services and increase efficiency in the Fire Department.

PART 2. The civil service classifications of the Fire Department and the number of positions in each classification are established as follows:

(A) Assistant Chief	4
(B) Division Chief	5
(C) Battalion Chief	31
(D) Captain	69
(E) Lieutenant	177
(F) Fire Specialist	196
(G) Firefighter	597

PART 3. The number of positions in the classification of Assistant Chief in Part 2 of this ordinance is an increase of one from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 4. The number of positions in the classification of Firefighter in Part 2 of this ordinance is an decrease of one from the number in existence immediately before the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 5. The base pay schedule and longevity rates, attached hereto, are fully incorporated in this ordinance and are adopted for each civil service classification in the Fire Department.

PART 6. Ordinance No. 20081120-020 is repealed.

PART 7. This ordinance takes effect on June 22, 2009.

PASSED AND APPROVED

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APPROVED:		ATTEST:	
	David Allan Smith		Shirley A. Gentry
	City Attorney		City Clerk